

SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

This agreement made and entered into between the Executive Branch Ethics Commission (hereinafter the "Commission") and Natalie Jensen.

WHEREAS, this agreement involves the matter styled *Executive Branch Ethics Commission v. Natalie Jensen*, Agency Case No. 11-003 and Administrative Action No. 11-EBEC-0800;

WHEREAS, the Commission is designated by statute as the agency responsible for enforcing the Executive Branch Code of Ethics, KRS Chapter 11A;

WHEREAS, on March 8, 2011, the Commission alleged facts in an Initiating Order that Natalie Jensen violated the Executive Branch Code of Ethics at KRS 11A.020(1)(c) and (d) and 11A.040(2);

WHEREAS, Natalie Jensen was at all relevant times mentioned in the Initiating Order a "public servant" as defined in KRS 11A.010(9), and thus subject to the Executive Branch Code of Ethics; and

WHEREAS, Natalie Jensen indicates her desire to resolve all issues in this action by the execution of a Settlement Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, in settlement of the above allegations, the Commission and Natalie Jensen agree, pursuant to KRS 11A.100, as follows:

1. Natalie Jensen admits that she committed violations of the Executive Branch Code of Ethics at KRS 11A.020(1)(c) and (d) and KRS 11A.040(2) as stated in Appendix A to the Commission's Initiating Order of March 8, 2011, attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein, as relate to the allegations presented in Count I and Count II concerning check number 233 dated July 28, 2010, payable to "cash" in the amount of \$1,000.00. Ms. Jensen does not, however, admit to these allegations in either Count I or Count II as they relate to check number 214 dated February 3, 2009, payable to herself in the amount of \$1000.00, and check number 216 dated May 4, 2009, payable to herself in the amount of \$250.00.

2. The Commission agrees to withdraw the allegations as stated in Appendix A to the Commission's Initiating Order of March 8, 2011, attached hereto, as relate to the allegations presented in Count I and Count II concerning check number 214 dated February 3, 2009, payable to Natalie Jensen in the amount of \$1000.00, and check number 216 dated May 4, 2009, payable to Natalie Jensen in the amount of \$250.00.

3. Natalie Jensen agrees to pay the Commission a civil penalty of one thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500.00) concurrently with the execution of this Settlement Agreement.

4. Natalie Jensen agrees that upon a Final Order being issued by the Commission that she waives all rights to any further administrative process or appeal pursuant to KRS 13B.140 thereon.

5. The parties further agree that the acceptance of this Settlement Agreement by both parties, and the fulfillment of its express terms, is in full accord and satisfaction of the herein referenced *Executive Branch Ethics Commission v. Natalie Jensen*, Agency Case No. 11-003 and Administrative Action No. 11-EBEC-0800.


6. This Settlement Agreement constitutes a public reprimand to Natalie Jensen, a copy of which will be provided to her former appointing authority pursuant to KRS 11A.100(3)(c).

IN WITNESS THEREOF, the parties have caused this agreement to be executed:

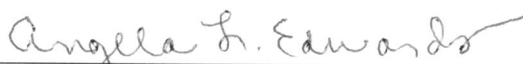

Natalie Jensen

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Date

EXECUTIVE BRANCH ETHICS COMMISSION:


Chair, Ronald L. Green


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Date


Vice Chair, Angela Edwards

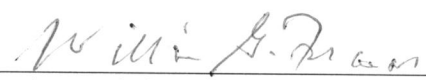
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